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and colder.

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NEW JAP ENVOY TO OPEN IMMIGRATION PROBLEM WITH U. S.

Washington, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Dispatches from Tokio stating that the new Japanese Ambassador Tsuno Matsudaira, will reopen the Japanese Immigration question soon after his arrival in Washington by the filing of a formal protest against the exclusion of Japanese from the United States.

The dispatches caused little surprise, as it has been expected here for some time that Japan will not allow the issue to die without filing a final and vigorous protest "for the record."

At the time that Ambassador Hanabusa presented his now famous "grave consequences" note, he informed Secretary of State Hughes that it was simply a preliminary protest, and would be followed by a more formal one at a later date. This preliminary paper, stating that "grave consequences" might follow the passage of the exclusion act, caused such a wave of indignation in Congress that it resulted in the speedy passage of the legislation, and Hanabusa's subsequent hurried recall to Tokio. His formal protest thus was never filed, and officials have been expecting it for some time.

Whatever protest is filed, however, will cause no change in the American Immigration policy. Both at the White House and the State Department, the matter is described as a "dead incident" which nothing at present conceivable can open up again.

It is the view of President Coolidge and Secretary of State Hughes that a dangerous issue has been settled, and to open it up again now would be merely inviting trouble.

PENNSY-GRAMS

Easton, Dec. 27. (INS.)—A formal "grave man" is today living like a "grave man" in a house and declared that he had lost none of his brilliance of other days. Butler of Bucknell fame, Neff, Ammerman, and S. Johnson, State College feature performers, and Brown, a starring Penn frosh, were the heavy artillery for the "old fellers," while the various other players used were also of exceptional calibre.

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Ammerman, f. 5 0 10
Brown, c. 0 0 0
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Neff, g. 4 3 11
H. Johnson, f. 0 0 0
Martin, f. 0 0 0
Howe, g. 0 0 0
Knepp, g. 0 0 0
Totals 16 4 36

1924-25 Varsity—27
Wilson, f. 4 5 13
C. Barnie, f. 2 0 4
Brown, c. 0 2 2
K. Barnie, g. 1 3 5
Micheletree, g. 1 1 3
Davis, g. 0 0 0
Johnson, g. 0 0 0
Totals 16 11 27

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 27. (INS.)—Remorseful over abusing his mother, Robert G. Miller last night committed suicide, according to reports made to the county morgue.

Mrs. Helen Miller said her son came home last evening and mistreated her. She went to the North Side police station to appeal for aid. She was accompanied to her home by a policeman, but she refused to permit him to arrest her son.

Three hours after, her son shot himself through the heart with a small pistol.

WOODLAND DIES

W. A. Dugan, better known as "Al" Dugan, who has been a resident of Woodland for several years, died at his home there this morning. Mr. Dugan was formerly a resident of Beech Creek, Pa. Funeral arrangements had not yet been made at the time of going to press.

Canned Heat, Flaming, Is Poured Down Throat Of Guest At Atlanta Hotel

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 27. (INS.)—Declaring he had been attacked by two men who forced their way into his room and then made him drink the contents of eight cans of canned heat—all flaming, James L. Curtiss, 38, of Griffin, Ga., was dying in a hospital here today. He is horribly burned internally, physicians said.

Some credence was given the story at the hotel, where it was said two strangers had called and asked to "see our old friend" Curtiss. Enough canned heat was pumped from his stomach at the hospital to fill eight containers.

Curtiss said he did not recognize his assailants, who became angry and attacked him when he told them he only had \$3. They had come ostensibly to rob him, he said. One of the men held him pinned to the floor, he said, while the other lighted the cans of poison and poured the contents down his throat.

C. H. S. Alumni Downs Young "Fellers" In Well Played Basket Exhibition

With Christmas almost a forgotten thing in their minds, Clearfield High's court representatives got a second remembrance to jolt their memories of the holiday season and its gifts. First, Ray Maurer received a dislocated shoulder, which severs a main artery of the strong attack of the present quintet and upsets all the well laid plans with Maurer out of the lineup. Then last evening a combination of stars who had formerly won the Red and Black silks at the local school, swept Coach Reed's team off its feet to gain a sensational 36-27 victory.

A team all of whom stood above six feet and carried plenty of meat easily showed that basketball is no game for little boys, like the present aggregation. The small fellows were almost powerless against the attack of the towering alumni, who passed and shot over the varsity almost at will for the victory.

Every man of the "old heads" carried himself quite well and proved that he had lost none of his brilliance of other days. Butler of Bucknell fame, Neff, Ammerman, and S. Johnson, State College feature performers, and Brown, a starring Penn frosh, were the heavy artillery for the "old fellers," while the various other players used were also of exceptional calibre.

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FOX HUNT ON NEW YEARS

The State-Centre Game, Fish and Forestry Association is arranging for a mammoth fox hunt in the Phillipsburg region for New Year's Day. All the hunters and all the foxhounds in that region are expected to participate. They are going after the foxes to protect the small game of the region.

VERITY JOINS RANKS OF BUSINESS MEN WHO SEE IN 1925 FULFILLMENT OF FONDEST HOPES FOR PROSPERITY

By GEORGE M. VERITY
President American Rolling Mills Co.
(Written especially for I. N. S.)

New York, Dec. 26.—The business outlook for 1925 is good. Despite the fact that a group, all too large, of our citizenship, is always berating successful business, and inferring that success itself is almost a crime, it is nevertheless a certainty that successful business, large and small, is the source of our national prosperity. Unless a large majority of our business units of all kinds do succeed, our present standards of civilization cannot be maintained.

Transportation, industry and commerce have been as much assaulted since the war that business has hesitated and staggered under a load of misrepresentation, of taxation and of opposition, that it has had to carry.

The business outlook for 1925 is now tremendously encouraging because of the feeling that legitimate business will again have an opportunity to prosecute its interests and devote its energies to the successful solution of the many complex problems that always surround it.

Many retarding and discouraging influences have temporarily, at least, been removed. Many new and favorable conditions do exist; the financial situation was never better. The agricultural, industrial and commercial economic situation is sound and improving and for the next two or three years, at least, the prosperity of the nation will be limited only by the honesty, the efficiency, the patriotism and sound common sense displayed by both our business interests and our citizenship.

KID MCCOY'S JURY HAD A HARD TIME IN MAKING AGREEMENT

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 27. (INS.)—After being deadlocked for more than nine hours over the fate of "Kid" McCoy on a charge of murdering his "light of love," the jury trying the case was today apparently no nearer a verdict than when it went out yesterday.

Disheveled and visibly weary from the long hours said to have been spent in the bitterest argument over whether the "Kid" should be adjudged not guilty or sentenced to death for his alleged crime, the jurors this morning sent word to Superior Judge Gray that they had not reached a decision and wanted something to eat.

From reports, the jurors are evenly divided over McCoy's guilt and innocence. It was reported that with the fluctuation of a single vote or two the jury men and women have stuck by the first votes they cast shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

After being given breakfast, the jury was to be locked in again.

CENTRE COUNTY JUDGE NAMES DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Bellefonte, Dec. 26.—Judge Arthur C. Dale today appointed Ivan Walker of the law firm of Spangler & Walker, as District Attorney of Centre County, to fill the office of Judge vacated when appointed to the bench by Governor Pinchot as successor to the late Henry C. Quigley. Walker is a Democrat in politics and his selection as District Attorney is viewed with considerable political significance.

Judge Dale always was aligned with the Republican Party until last fall, when he was elected District Attorney on the Democratic ticket.

The new District Attorney will be in accord with Governor Pinchot's strong law enforcement policies. He accepted the appointment only after making the declaration that under no circumstances would he be a candidate next fall for election and that he reserved the right to resign at any time.

GRAMPIAN MAN DIES

AT CLEARFIELD HOSPITAL
Alonso Zeigler, who was brought from his home at Grampian to the Clearfield Hospital on Friday morning, died at that institution last evening. The deceased had been an invalid for several years following an injury received in a mine. He was 46 years of age and unmarried.

The funeral will be held from the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Shaffer at Grampian, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

World In General Has Settled Down To Solid Business Says Observer

By FREDERICK RUPPRECHT
Chairman of the Board of Consolidated Textile Corp'n, N. Y.

New York, Dec. 27.—Many commentators and observers have sought to account for the recent uprush on the stock exchange by definitely greater earning prospects in various industries. Such prospects, no doubt, exist, but it seems to me that the general optimism as to next year (of which I merely refer to the stock market as a barometer) is based fundamentally upon a belief that the world in general has settled down to business.

British and American elections together with a trend toward political stability and sanity in other countries is a convincing evidence that we have recovered from most of our post war malice. Europe is re-establishing its trade, stabilizing its currencies and going forward. This is the confidence creating back ground with which we enter upon 1925.

The textile industry, touched bottom a short time ago. Having seen the worst it requires no gift of prophecy to indicate a more prosperous condition, which if contrasted with conditions in the past year, should be very prosperous indeed. Stocks are depleted, cotton is on a more favorable basis from the manufacturers point of view, and as a result of better necessity, wages have been readjusted on a basis which in most cases should make profitable operation possible.

It appears that in the textile industry the hand to mouth buying habit has necessitated, perhaps permanently, a policy of hand to mouth manufacturing. My opinion is that if manufacturers are careful not to accumulate stocks in excess of reasonable requirements, our cotton mills will have a steady and satisfactory business in 1925, with a fair margin of profit.

Date Of Evacuation Of Cologne Set For Jan. 10 Will Not Be Observed

Paris, Dec. 27. (INS.)—The Council of Ambassadors unanimously voted today it was impossible to evacuate Cologne January 10.

The action of the Ambassador's Council was based on data compiled by the military control commission. The final report of the Commission had not been completed today and this was one reason the council advanced for delaying evacuation on the date which the Allies had set.

A CREDITABLE PERFORMANCE

The Pageant entitled "The First Christmas" which was given in St. John's Lutheran church on Christmas eve was a grand success in every way. Those who participated in the presentation of this inspiring and educational pageant are to be congratulated in the pleasing manner in which they acted out their parts. The various scenes so impressed their message upon those who witnessed them that they will never forget the helpful lessons taught. What child would ever forget the moving star as they saw it glide slowly until it tarried over the place where the Child lay! So with every other scene. Surely Christmas meant more than ever before to those who witnessed this timely pageant. Miss LaRue Chorpennig had charge of the pageant and its success was very largely due to her patience and perseverance.

"BROWNIE" GESSLER DIES

Dr. Harry "Brownie" Gessler, former big league baseball player and a resident of Punxsutawney for a number of years, died at his home in Pittsburgh on Christmas day, aged 47 years.

OUT OF STEP

A week or ten days ago the International News Service, one of the three great news gathering agencies of the world, began the releasing of a series of interviews on business conditions for the new year, by men prominent in our business life.

These interviews were all given at about the same date and none of these men knew the tenor of the other's remarks, yet the similarity of opinion on prediction of prosperity and stability is remarkable, and the fact that so many men, in widely diversified industry, have the same opinion, would seem to confirm the opinion of the whole. Here is one case where experts agree.

In these interviews we have heard the voice of the captain of industry in Verity, in Schwab and in Gary. The world of finance has spoken through Mellon, Sabin and others. The great life insurance companies have voiced confidence and optimism. The railroads are hauling a greater volume of freight, their securities are at top notch and their executives are eagerly preparing for big business. Taking the nation as a whole these things are true. Figures speak for themselves. There is indisputable proof that once more this nation is back to economy and fundamentals and that on this bedrock business is moving forward in well ordered formation.

In this region, however, we are inclined to look upon these predictions as being a wish, rather than the thought. It is indeed hard to reconcile these outbursts of optimism and the array of figures showing increased production and giant tonnages hauled with conditions in this immediate vicinity where the coal industry is such a big factor. Here, train crews are doing part time, innumerable trainmen who by length of service should be running engines or conducting trains, are back where they started. Many well known coal fields are stark and deserted, the machinery rusting and corroding; the men who once manned them and made up hustling, bustling communities of prosperous citizens either idle and suffering privations or forced to move elsewhere in search of a living.

In this great forward march of American business only one seems to be "out of step." In this gigantic procession toward prosperity here comes the railroads and their men, both of whom have long since made the necessary adjustments for peace time business. Marching abreast we see the steel trade, men and owners alike, divested of war-time garments and girdles. And as they swing the corner we see the financial world, revived and solidified by having written off losses and adjusted themselves to present conditions. The farmer took his medicine stoically and is entitled to a place in the front rank.

The parade formation is incomplete. It will be until the coal industry, around and about which the whole business of this section of the state revolves, swings into line on a level with other industries. As one local business man expressed it last evening, "It is time the business men of the whole Central Pennsylvania field take a healthy interest in this basic industry and by conversation with men engaged in the mining of coal and working about the mines learn the true situation and exert their influence and good offices toward working out a solution."

Something is wrong! We dislike to crack an old chestnut, but the officers of the mine worker's organization by taking the attitude they have held for so long in the face of rapidly disintegrating business in this field have placed themselves much in the position of the fond mother who, upon witnessing a military parade in which her son was marching, observed, "They're all out of step but Jim."

LOST HIS TEETH AND THEREBY HIS FREEDOM AS WELL

Media, Pa., Dec. 27. (INS.)—John Dugan, 35, lost his teeth and thereby lost his freedom, it became known today, when he arrived from Chester to serve 30 days in jail for disorderly conduct.

John, according to the police, after an all night stay in the Chester lockup appeared at the city hall and accused the turnkey of stealing his false teeth. He was rearrested and sentenced for raising a disturbance. John is in a quandary, now, wondering whether he swallowed his teeth or was robbed.

OUR HEALTH REPORT

Six cases of measles and one of diphtheria were reported to the Board of Health for quarantine for the week ending last evening, according to Health Secretary Gaulin's weekly report. During the week the quarantine was lifted in four cases of measles and one of diphtheria.

There are twelve cases of measles and one of diphtheria under quarantine at present. They are located as follows:

- 1st Ward—Measles, 4.
- 2nd Ward—Diphtheria, 1; Measles, 4.
- 3rd Ward—Measles, 3.
- 4th Ward—Measles, 1.

EARN WHILE YOU LEARN

Able bodied young men between the age of 18 and 35 and of good character wanted for U. S. Army Trade schools. The following schools now offering from \$21 to \$60 per month clear besides board, lodging and clothing and medical attention and thirty days a year vacation with pay and rations. Motor mechanic School, Radio School, Auto Driving School, Cooks and Bakers' school and Dental Mechanic's school and several other trade schools too numerous to mention. For full particulars apply U. S. Army Recruiting office, Y. M. C. A. Building Clearfield, Pa., from 8 a. m. to 12 p. m., 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m. or Hotel Riverside 12 p. m. to 1 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m.

'The Glorious Girl' To Be Staged Here By Home Talent, Jr. Women's Club

The Entertainment Committee of the Junior Woman's Club has selected the attraction to be given by their popular organization this season, "The Glorious Girl," a musical comedy in two acts is to be presented and Harrington Adams, Inc., producers of the highest class of Amateur Productions will rehearse and stage the play.

The Junior Woman's Club feels fortunate in securing this production as it is without doubt the most popular musical play now being staged with amateurs. This comedy has been presented only in the larger cities and a trail of favorable comment follows it everywhere.

The local production will have some of the best known of local stars. The representative of the producers who met with the local committee went over details carefully and was of the opinion that the production would meet with the same success here as elsewhere.

The different committees were formed at the meeting and no effort will be spared in making "The Glorious Girl" the greatest production ever staged locally.

The Chairmen of the Committees are:
General Chairman, Mrs. W. E. Fluck; Chairman Ticket Committee, Mrs. Arthur Row; chairman talent committee, Mrs. C. T. Kurtz; chairman program committee, Mrs. Wade Stewart; chairman details, Miss Laura Fulford; chairman of publicity, Miss Gertrude Rumberger.

ROWLES-KNEPP

Ashley Rowles and Beulah Knepp were united in marriage on Christmas day at the U. S. parsonage at Woodland by Rev. M. S. Bittner. We trust that the future will have many rich blessings to bestow upon their home life, and wish them many happy years of wedded life.

Mrs. Jennie L. Kelly is a patient at the Clearfield hospital where she is seriously ill. Her many friends are deeply concerned about her and hope she will soon have a change for the better.

NEW RECORDS MADE AT THE LOCAL P. O. IN HANDLING HOLIDAY RUSH OF BUSINESS

The busiest place in this town, in fact the busiest place in Clearfield county, bar none, was the Clearfield Post office during the holiday season, especially on Monday and Tuesday last. Postmaster Roseberry and his enlarged crew having the time of their lives getting the flood of mail into and out of the office.

They did more business by actual count than any other two post offices in Clearfield county. Two gave some idea of the volume of business done at the Clearfield postoffice it is only necessary to say that on Monday and Tuesday a total of 74,500 pieces of first-class mail were handled during the two days.

In addition to this large total the parcels, calendars, diaries, etc., mailed totaled approximately 15,000, while the parcels received for delivery ran well up into the thousands. Postmaster Roseberry found it necessary to commandeer four large motor trucks and two push carts, with a force of twelve men to make delivery of same.

The cash postal receipts for Monday and Tuesday alone totaled \$3805. Thus, Mr. Postmaster Roseberry if you experienced temporary or vacation momentary delay while transacting business at the postoffice with your Christmas mail, just take a share of the blame upon your own shoulders, as had Clearfield people appreciated the oft-mentioned admonition to do their Christmas mailing early and often, instead of waiting to the two busy days before Christmas, there would not have been a single kick in one thousand patrons.

The postal business in Clearfield this Christmas was indeed a bronker of all previous records, Postmaster Roseberry and his corps of assistants are deserving of congratulation for the manner in which they handled it.

Pottsville Alderman Is To Assume Solomon Role At Silk Knitter Hearing

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 27. (INS.)—The role of solomon will devolve on Alderman Hiram Davies here at noon today when two women will appear before him each declaring she is the mother of the two year old boy found abandoned in a rooming house at Camden, N. J., Dec. 17. When Mrs. Martha Silkknitter and her husband who were brought here last night from Allentown, accused of kidnapping Russell Earl Steimling, Jr., six appear before Davies today they will be confronted by Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Steimling, of Philadelphia. The Steimlings will endeavor to prove their claim to the baby, which was turned over to them by Camden authorities. If they prove the boy is their son it will add weight to the charge of kidnapping against the Silkknitters, declared authorities.

It is reported from Allentown that chief of police Bernhard, of that city, Silkknitters, declared authorities. ordered a search for a murdered baby in connection with the kidnapping mystery. Bernhard declared the rival claims of the two mothers is evidence that a baby is missing.

ENGLAND IN GRIP OF GALE

London, Dec. 27. (INS.)—A fierce gale was sweeping England today and had whipped the English channel into a seething cauldron of water. Cross channel traffic was disorganized and almost suspended.

Unprecedented floods were sweeping Rymney valley in South Wales. Houses were flooded and inhabitants had taken refuge in the upper stories. The Thames river was at flood stage and had left its banks at several places.

Christiana, Norway, December 27. (INS.)—The Norwegian steamer Sortland was wrecked by a hurricane today outside of the port of Bodø, near the Lofoten Islands, reports received here today said. Nine of the crew were saved and 13 were missing.

ODDS AND ENDS AND THINGS

By J. D. C.

We have heard from quite a number of Clearfield hunters who agree with V. G. Henderson's idea of deer propagation and protection, as outlined in this column recently.

Criminals, paupers and other undesirable citizens come from marriages of couples less than fifteen years of age. Casper L. Redfield, a scientist of Chicago has concluded. Redfield today announced an educational campaign to have State legislatures enact laws prohibiting marriages between persons less than twenty-one. Redfield said that last year there were 6,000 marriages of couples less than fifteen, and that as a result a goodly crop of criminals could be expected in later years. He asserted that practically all the great men of history, including St. Francis, Bacon, Charles Darwin, James Watt, Benjamin Franklin, George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Robert E. Lee and Henry Ward Beecher, have been children of mature parents.

It seems the certain jingoistic gentlemen in this country and Japan as well have so far forgot the terrible lessons of the World War that they would be willing to sacrifice the young men of the two countries in war.

War talk is apt to lead to war. Japan is talking now of war with the United States. Her newspapers are full of predictions of it, and angry references to America's treatment of the Japanese.

It is much such propaganda as the press fed Europe on, for several years before the World War.

Americans say there will be no war between Japan and the U. S.

Japan is not to be remembered that she always blames the other when they are working up toward a fight.

Japan says she was injured first in a very tender spot, her national honor, by the way Japanese immigrants were excluded from American territory.

A good many Americans agree that, though exclusion perhaps was necessary, congress was needlessly offensive about it.

The latest Japanese worry is over the coming maneuvers of the American war fleet off Hawaii; also the visit of the fleet to pay to Australia a little.

The Japanese worry is that Amer-

ica chose the Pacific for her maneuvers to get in practice for a struggle with Japan, and that the fleet is going to Australia because Americans believe the Australians will be their allies.

It is very serious when such an idea saturates a whole people.

Realizing this, in his last message to congress President Coolidge said the maneuvers are not meant as a threat against anyone.

This may help, but those who are suspicious already are hard to convince.

Some Americans say the maneuvers could just as well be held elsewhere, but no country likes to be bluffed into changing its plans.

The George Washington-Sulgrave Institution is taking time by the forelock in announcing plans for the celebration of the bicentennial of the birth of the Father of his Country in 1932. Congress has already passed a bill providing for a Federal Commission to plan a fitting commemoration, and the Washington institution proposes to hunt down and scotch the myths that are slowly dimming or falsifying the great Virginian's fame. Poor, adoring old Weems is to be looked up, and the dragnet of historic criticism will be run through his biographical prattle. The cherry tree and the dollar thrown across the Potomac will be submitted to the acid test. If George Washington swore like a trooper at Princeton, we are to know it; and in general the survey will aim to have ready for the bicentennial the flesh-and-blood man just as he was while living.

Take and 100 boys of 25 years and at the age of 35, five of them will have passed away, 10 will be wealthy, 19 well-to-do, and 75 self-supporting.

Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers said in a recent address:

"Add 10 years more, or 45 years of age," Stone continued, "and 84 will still be living, four of them wealthy, 11 well-to-do, 59 self-supporting, and 15 unable to support themselves."

"With the addition of another 10 years, or 55 years old, four more will have died, only one will be wealthy, four well-to-do, 45 self-supporting and 30 non-supporting."

"When they have reached 65 years, only 64 of the original 100 will be alive, only one wealthy, three well-to-do, but six of the balance self-sup-

porting, and the balance, 54, will be dependent upon others for the rest of their lives."

Stone said his figures were the result of a careful study of all available records, and have been checked by some of the most prominent insurance actuaries in the country.

"When such a thing is possible," he said, "there is something radically wrong with our system of education. It is necessary for us to inculcate in our children the spirit of thrift."

Crayton C. Rowles and wife of Muncy, Ind., Claude H. Rowles and Karl P. Rowles, both of Philadelphia, are home over Christmas with their father, McClelland Rowles, of Hannah street.

Answer That

"This is a diplotocus, one of those primeval monsters which existed on the earth millions of years before the appearance of man," said the professor. "Diplodocus" repeated the perplexed student. "Well, if it existed so long before the appearance of man, how do you know that is its right name?"

Various Uses for Quartz

The common variety of crystallized quartz is employed in the arts as an abrasive, principally in the manufacture of sandpaper. It is also crushed and used for polishing marble and as a filler for wood. Quartz sands are of importance in the manufacture of glass, refractory brick, mortar, cements, etc.

Term Carries Stigma

Cashier, which, by the way, is not an official term in the United States is commonly construed among military men as having a more disgraceful significance than dismissal, although there is no analogy or precedent in the use of the word by leading English authors to support this construction.

Smoke on Sly

Dissension has split with the 115 slyings (England) town council. The councilmen want to smoke and the councilwomen are up in arms. Resolutions to permit members to smoke during council sessions have resulted in bitter fights, while town business has gone by the boards.

South Wales' Coal Wealth

The South Wales coal field, covering approximately 1,000 square miles, is the largest in the British Isles, and supplies more coal for export than any other British coal field.

MINSTREL SHOW AT DRIGGS THEATRE NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

Manager Hartman of the Driggs Theatre wishes to announce to the public that he has secured John R. Van Arnam's Superior Minstrels for one night, January 1. Van Arnam's Minstrels, while only on their fifth season comes with an enviable reputation of having played two consecutive years as a headline attraction over the B. F. Keith circuit of Vaudeville Theatres, being the only production giving the entire show on the Keith circuit.

Mr. Van Arnam has the only minstrel show on the road today playing to popular prices of 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1.00. He believes in crowded houses and pleasing the public. As with all minstrel shows, there will be a Street Parade at noon and a Band Concert in front of the Theatre before the night performance.

Reserved seats now on sale.

WEDDINGS IN TRINITY-CHURCH

Christmas morning, the pastor, Rev. Horace Lincoln Jacobs, married with the ring ceremony James Leslie Mitchell of Pine Grove, Pa., and Dorothy Mae Lippart, of Krebs. They were accompanied by relatives and friends.

Friday afternoon, in the presence of friends, with the ring ceremony, Conrad Paul Urbanski, of Munson, and Bertha Vera Drobnik, of East Liberty, Pa.

Is It Not So?

Some men are always wanting people to tell them how good looking they are, but a woman will stand up in front of a mirror and see for herself.—Washington Star

Fools 'Em



James P. Overstreet told members of the exclusive River Crest Country Club, Fort Worth, Tex., that he was the son of a Chicago millionaire. As such he was dined and feted. Later such he was arrested as being one of the four unmasked bandits who robbed the Shawnee (Okla.) Federal National Bank of \$13,000 a week before.

CONCRETE PRODUCTS

Cement bricks, squares, copings, sills, etc. Stocks ready for immediate delivery.

Aaron Murray

Old Clearfield

Machine Shops Building

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Why Not Spend That Money Gift for "Gifts That Last"? They're the Better Kind of Gifts, You Know.

Howe's Jewelry Store

Please Co-Operate With Us During The Cold Weather

In the first place, please take your full milk bottles in the house as soon after the wagonman makes his deliveries as possible. Milk does not improve by the freezing and you'll find it will be better if it does not.

Please See That Bottles Are Dry Before You Place Them On the Porch

Most people place their milk tickets in the bottles on the porch. If the bottle is wet, the tickets freeze tight and there is a possibility of the person operating the bottle-washing machine in the plant, cutting his or her hands very badly trying to rescue your ticket.

Clearfield Dairy Co.

Pre-Inventory SALE

Notable Clearway Sale

OF

LADIES' SILK BLOUSES

Values \$5.00 to \$8.50

AT

\$2.95

LADIES' COATS

AT REDUCED PRICES

MIRKINS

Hot Water Bottles

We are featuring hot water bottles right now and you will find that we have some really good bottles for you. They're the kind that won't leak the first time you use them.

Irwin's Drug Store

The most used room

The bathroom is really the most used room in the house. It is also the most important.

With its clean, white fixtures, the modern bathroom protects health.

Antiquated bathroom fixtures—or none at all—means a home lacking much of the comfort it should possess.

Let us plan improvements for you—economically.

H. & J. Phone 329J
W. A. CHASE, Jr.
Plumbing, Heating and Tinning
Shop 34, Rear of 322 Locust St
CLEARFIELD, PA.

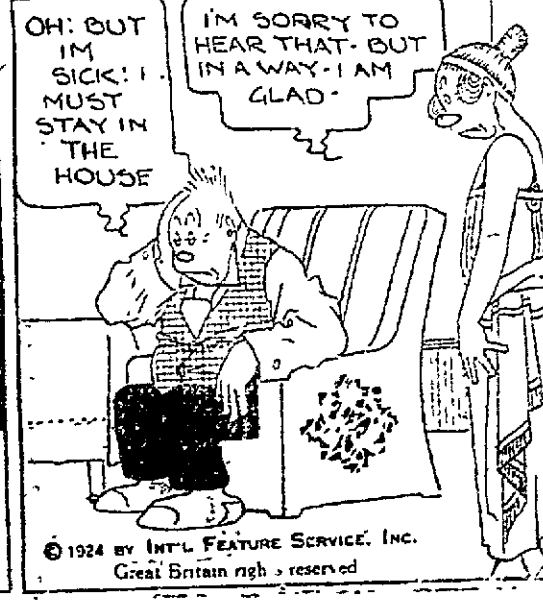
Progress Classified Ads get results.

McCarty's

If you have been eating a lot of heavy desserts for the past couple of days, try some of our delicious fruit sherbets for your Sunday dessert.

McCarty's

BRINGING UP FATHER



By McManus

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL Sunday School Lesson

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Institute of Chicago.
(1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for December 28

THE REVIEW—THE CENTRAL PERIOD OF CHRIST'S MINISTRY

GOLDEN TEXT—"He that hath seen
the Son and hath believed on him,
the Father will give him life, and
he shall never come into condemna-
tion, but shall continue in the life
which the Father giveth him."
PRIMARY TOPIC—Things That Je-
sus Said and Did.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Shows His
Love and Power.
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR
TOPIC**—Lesson of Jesus' Central Year.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—
Central Period of Christ's Ministry.

The best way to conduct the review
for adults is to present the heart of
each lesson. This can be done by mak-
ing assignments to the members of
each class a week ahead, or by asking all
members of the class to prepare on
each lesson and the teacher to skill-
fully draw the central teaching of the
lesson from the class. The following
suggestions are offered:

Lesson I. Having proclaimed the
gospel of the Kingdom and wrought
wonders to demonstrate His power to
substantiate the affairs of the Kingdom,
Christ sent forth the twelve to propa-
gate the Kingdom. He had not only
power over the chief forces of mankind,
namely, sickness, demons, storms, etc., but
could give that power to his disciples.
Lesson II. This is the model prayer
of the disciples. True prayer is the
communion of the human personality
with the divine personality. The su-
preme need is a right relationship on
the part of the human. He must be
able to say "Our Father." Without
becoming a child of God through faith
in Jesus Christ, no one can pray ac-
ceptably.

Lesson III. The parable of the
sower teaches that the measure of
fruitfulness from the sowing of the
word of God is determined by the
condition of the human heart.

Lesson IV. Although Jesus was a
real man and therefore needed rest
after His strenuous day of teaching,
He was also divine as shown by His
power to still the stormy sea by mere-
ly speaking a word.

Lesson V. The parable of the Prodigal
Son reveals the love of a pardon-
ing God for a sinning race. The cen-
tral interest is not in the return of a
prodigal, but in the loving heart of
our Father God.

Lesson VI. In this lesson we see
Jesus feeding a multitude with very
meager provisions. It shows that He
possesses creative power and therefore
is God. While the creation of the
world was the Lord's part yet the dis-
ciples had to distribute the food cre-
ated; and on the part of the people
it was necessary that they should obey
the Lord and eat.

Lesson VII. The central teaching
of Peter's confession of Christ is that
Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Liv-
ing God.

Lesson VIII. In the transfiguration
is portrayed the method of the mes-
sianic Kingdom as well as the message
of the King to his discouraged dis-
ciples. He showed the discouraged
and despondent disciples that beyond
the cross which they so keenly re-
sented would come into realization the
Kingdom which they hoped for.

Lesson IX. The parable of the Good
Samaritan teaches that my neighbor is
the one who needs my help; and that
being a neighbor means to be on the
lookout for those in need and to ren-
der assistance to the limit of my abil-
ity.

Lesson X. The opening of the eyes
of the man born blind is an acted par-
able illustrating in the physical sphere
the working of divine grace in the spir-
itual sphere, as experienced in the
salvation of a soul.

Lesson XI. The raising of Lazarus
from the dead not only assures us
that there will be a resurrection of
the dead but that Jesus Christ is the
resurrection and the life.

Lesson XII. God became incarnate
in order to reveal Himself to the
world. God can only be known as the
Son reveals Him.

Religious Experience

Not every man who knows some-
thing about color is an artist, but a
man can hardly be an artist without
knowing something about color. Reli-
gious experience does not make one
competent to deal with all the prob-
lems of life, but one cannot deal with
them effectively without religious ex-
perience. That is why so many pro-
fessed experts fail.—The Congrega-
tionalist.

Glad and Hearty Amen to All

When the heart is right, culti-
vated by the operation of the Holy
Spirit, there is no questioning of God's
dealings, neither direct, nor through
His hands (His leaders), but a glad
and hearty amen to all.—Echoes.

Sense of Duty

A sense of duty may not be the
highest motive, but the best men are
moved by it.—Herald and Presbyter.

Our Confession

We do not receive blessing because
of our confession, but we are not
blessed without it.—F. E. Marsh.

Ruled

The world is ruled by reason; the
Christian is ruled by the wisdom of
God.—The Living World.

"Listening In" is the best indoor
sport these nights.

CHURCHES

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

South Second Street.
Bible school, O. T. Tobias superin-
tendent, opens at 9:30 sharp. Year's
rally and special study. Extra music.
The organized classes welcome
strangers and visitors. Good fellow-
ship and helpful instruction.

Worship—10:45 and 7:30: ex-
positions of scriptures selected for timely
meditations. Free sittings and good
music. Hearty welcome for week-end
visitors and strangers, especially
commercial travelers.

Next Wednesday, annual election of
Bible school officers: monthly meeting
of trustees. Special study in the
congregational hour, 7:30.

WOODLAND M. E. CHURCH

G. B. M. Reidell, Minister.
Sabbath school 10 a. m. James
Baird, superintendent. A class with
an excellent teacher awaits you here.
If you do not attend a Sabbath school
we invite you to join us. Evening
worship with sermon by pastor at
7:45 p. m. Election of Sunday school
officers for 1925 will be held preced-
ing the watch night services Wednes-
day evening. Announcement of the
hour will be given at Sabbath's ser-
vice. Let all Sunday school teachers
and officers note this as it is impor-
tant.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Rev. A. N. SALVIE, Pastor.
Sunday afternoon and evening ser-
vices are held in the Susquehanna
College of Music Auditorium.
Bible School at 1:30 p. m.
Preaching at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday night Xmas service, special
singing by the Sunday School children
Tuesday evening Bible study at the
home of Glen Miles, 208 Nichols St.
Wednesday night will be Watch
Night services at Salvie's home, 219 1/2
Reed St. This service will begin at
8:30 till New Year morning.

Thursday night prayer meeting at
Mrs. N. Hoffman, 522 Hannah Street.
All are cordially invited to all the
services.

Curwensville

Corner of Filber and George Sts.
Bible School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the
Pastor.

Wednesday night Watch Night ser-
vices will begin at 7:30. All should
attend this service.

Saturday and Sunday night services
Brother Williams in charge.
All are cordially invited to all the
services.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

E. Roy Hauser, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School, Paul A. Diet-
zel, Supt.

10:30 Morning Worship with ser-
mon by the pastor. Theme "What if
Every Day Were Christmas."

6:30 Lutheran League, Subject,
"The Lutheran Church in Japan."
Leader, Miss Lillian Dietzel.

7:30 Evening Worship and
Theme "What I have Written, I Have
Written."

A Backward look before entering
into the New Year. Will the New
Year find us doing better and more
efficient work for our Master? Hear
this message.

7:30 Wednesday, "Quiet Hour."
Make this service a fitting close for
the year 1924.

11:00 Wednesday night—Watch
night service. This will be a union
service and all are invited to enjoy
this closing service of the old year.
Welcome in the New Year by being
in God's House in the attitude of
prayer.

The Every member canvass will be
made on Sunday afternoon. All
members are urged to co-operate. Ar-
range to be at home when the can-
vassers call.

Strangers, visitors and those with-
out a church home are cordially in-
vited to worship with us.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Corner Dorey and Seventh streets.

G. R. Alban, Pastor.

9:45 Sunday school.

11:00 Public worship.

7:30 Christmas entertainment by
the children.

Everybody welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

W. L. Cruthers, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 W. P.

Sheeder, Supt., sermon on "Interces-
sion."

Young peoples service at 6:40.

Special Christmas exercises in the
evening at 7:30.

Mid week prayer service Wednes-
day at 7:30.

Scofield Bible Class Friday even-
ing at 7:00, everyone invited to at-
tend.

Choir rehearsal following at 8:00.

Strangers and visitors are welcome
at all the services of the church.

Goetz of the Iron Hand

Goetz von Berlichingen, one of the
leaders of the peasants, in 1325, lost
his right hand in battle and it was
replaced by an iron hand. Whence
he was called "Goetz of the Iron
Hand."

Founded by English King

The University of Goettingen, in the
province of Hanover, Prussia, one of
Germany's most notable seats of learn-
ing, was founded in 1734 by King
George II of England, who was also
the elector of Hanover.

Good Rule to Follow

Let us then be what we are, and
speak what we think, and in all things
keep ourselves loyal to truth, and the
sacred professions of friendship.—
Longfellow.

Will Be Popular



NATURAL colored kasha cloth
makes this distinctive three-
piece suit with long, straight
coat buttoned severely down the
front and the straightline frock
slightly embellished with embroidery
in henna and gold. We are prom-
ised a great many such costumes for
spring.

SPORTS

INTER-CHURCH BOWLING

The Trinity Methodist Bowlers
after taking the first game of their
match with an advantage of 13 pins,
gave way to the East End Methodist
quintet and lost the last games. This
results in the Presbyterian taking
first, East End Methodist taking
second and The Trinity Methodist
taking third in the standing for the
first half of the tournament of the
Inter-Church League on the Com-
munity Y. M. C. A. Alleys.

The second series begins Thursday
night, January 1st, between two of
the well matched teams in the league.
New Year's Day in the morning
and afternoon the champions of Duck
Pins Bowling will be decided after a
series of games between the Senior
Members of the Association.

The scores:

EAST END				
R. Pents	151	143	174	468
B. Shugarts	157	153	137	447
R. Kinhead	124	146	141	411
P. Weimer	114	133	146	393
J. L. Williams	125	122	142	390

TRINITY METHODIST

C. Knepp	146	151	170	467
Livergood			98	98
L. Shankle	120	130		253
W. Kennard	158	125	156	439
H. McGarvey			133	133
Blind	114	115		233
E. Warner	146	141	123	410
	684	644	630	2008

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

At New York—Paul Berlenbach
knocked out Larry Estridge colored,
middleweight champion, 15 less than
two rounds at Madison Square gar-
den. Jack Delaney, Bridgeport, won
decision over Paul Reed, Boston. Ed-
die Elkins got decision over Sid Kep-
pen. Stracey Ferguson knocked out
Mike Carrier fifth round. Tommy
Jordan won decision over Barney
Shaw.

At Buffalo N. Y.—Frankie Schoell
and Tiger Flowers fought six rounds
to a draw.

At Atlanta Ga.—Mike McGigue,
World's light heavyweight champion,
scored technical knockout fourth
round over Johnny King, New Or-
leans.

WEST SIDE M. E. CHURCH

William L. Armstrong, Pastor.
Tabernacle, corner Nichols and
Turnpike Avenue.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School, Harry L.
Shaw, Supt.

10:45 a. m. Public worship. A New
Year's sermon thru the Vision of
Isaiah.

6:30 p. m. Epworth League devo-
tional.

7:30 p. m. Vesper service with ser-
mon, theme, "On the Other Side of
Life's Summit."

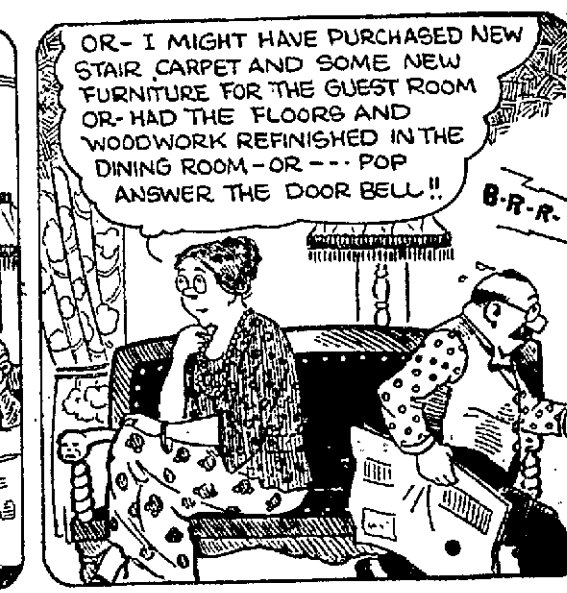
On Wednesday evening at 11:00
o'clock there will be a Watch Night
service. The pastor will preach a
sermon appropriate to the occasion.

This service will be preparatory to
our "revival" services, which will be-
gin the following Sunday night, Jan.
4. The attendance at this Watch
Night service may mean a sacrifice,
but make it worth while.

MOM'N POP



Mom Becomes Satisfied



BY TAYLOR



'ATTA BOY, CAL!



In Burns' Job



J. E. Hoover of Washington has been
named by Attorney General Harlan
F. Stone as director of the Bureau of
Investigation in the Department of
Justice. He succeeds W. J. Burns,
who resigned during the Daugherty
inquiry.

Odd Quail in Borneo

The long, hairy, reddish crest gives
the moderately sized, rich green plum-
aged greenwood quail a distinguished
appearance, says Nature Magazine. In
its native haunts, from Siam to Borneo
and Java, it is a lover of the
tropical forest up to an altitude of
4,000 feet, and seldom visits the open
country.

High Prices in Early New York

During the British occupation of
New York in Revolutionary days, the
method was to sell in wholesale lots
at public auction and to issue revoc-
able licenses to retailers. The best
flour then sold for \$14 a barrel, bacon
at 32 cents a pound and beef at 13
cents a pound. Wages were less than
50 cents a day.

Fourteen Glasses a Day the Limit

One of the first temperance socie-
ties was organized in Germany in 1600.
The members agreed not to drink
more than fourteen glasses of wine a
day. But people generally drank
more in those days than they did later.
In 1820 a temperance society was
formed in New Jersey. Its members
promised not to drink more than one
half pint of rum or whisky a day. In
1840 the Washingtonian society was
organized in Baltimore, Md. Six of
the leading drunkards of the city
agreed to swear off forever and aye.
In five years the pledge had been
signed by 650,000 persons.

How Are Your Children's Eyes?

During the Christmas vaca-
tion would be an excellent time
to have your children's eyes ex-
amined to see how they are
standing the strain of the
school year.

They will have their glasses
in plenty of time for the open-
ing of school.

C. C. ARNOLD

North Third Street

Rusty Knives

If steel knives are rusted from be-
ing put away, soak the blades in sweet
oil for about an hour. Then thrust
them in the garden soil several times.
Polish with fine emery powder and
the blades will be like new.

SAVE with SAFETY at your Rexall DRUG STORE



CHERRY BARK COUGH SYRUP

The most pleasant tasting.
The most effective.
The most satisfactory relief for
colds we know of.
Safe for children as well as
adults.
Contains no opiates.
Larger size bottles than most
cough remedies at the price.

Guard Yourself Against Colds!

Build up your system and keep
it toned up to resist the germs
that cause colds.

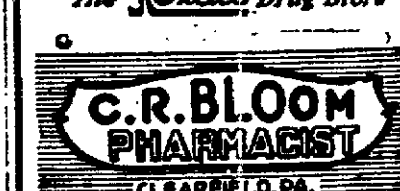
Rexall

Emulsion of
Cod Liver Oil
is what you need for this pur-
pose.



It's a splendid food tonic that
will enrich your blood, and al-
though it contains a large per-
centage of Pure Norwegian Cod
Liver Oil, it is so pleasantly
flavored that it is easy to take.
Especially good in the treat-
ment of general debility and
loss of flesh.

The Rexall Drug Store



South Second St. Both Phones

Why Not Eat One Of These Meals Tomorrow?

DINNER

From 12 to 2 we will serve Roast Chicken and
Waffles. And, of course, everything else that goes
with them to make a wonderfully good dinner.

SUPPER

Another of those delicious chicken pie suppers from
5:30 to 7:30 at 50c.

The CHATTER BOX

"The Different Place To Eat Your Christmas Dinner."
—And we will have a turkey dinner New Year's Day

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THE
CLEARFIELD PROGRESS
H. & C. 176 Bell 47

(A) PUBLIC NOTICES

DENTAL OFFICE OPENED

My office will be open for business Monday, December 29th, having been closed on account of sickness.
DR. GEORGE W. PORTER
New Moose Temple
12/27/24tch

Chapter A of St. Agnes Guild has mince meat for sale at the home of Mrs. Mary Bock, Witmer street, near Redsville house house. Kindly bring containers with you. 12/26/24tch

3—IN MEMORIAM

IN MEMORIAM
Samuel H. Snake:—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, who departed this life Dec. 27, 1923.

Today recalls sad memories of a loved one gone to rest.
How I long for you dear father,
How I miss you everywhere;
You will never be forgotten,
Never from my memory fade.
Sad and loving hearts will always linger
Around the grave where you are laid.
Sadly missed by—
Wife, Daughters, and Sons.
12/27/24tch

5—LOST

Lost: White English setter with brown head and brown spot on hip. Answers to the name of "King." Finder please notify Progress and receive reward. 12/18/24tch

Lost: Silver fountain pen. Reward for return to Progress. 12/26/24tch

(B) BUSINESS SERVICE

11—HOTELS, RESTAURANTS

THE PALACE HOTEL
American and European Plan
Open Day and Night
50 Rooms.
E. T. BIRD, Prop.
Corner Reed and Third Streets.

12—TRANSFER, STORAGE

I'LL MOVE YOU ANYWHERE
Long or short distance all the same to me. Reasonable charges and careful handling.
H. H. ZIMMERMAN
217 Nichols St. H. & C. Phone 441W
4/17/24con

13—REPAIR SERVICE

ELECTRICAL REPAIRING
House Wiring
Motor Doctoring
Prompt Response To All Calls.
EVEN COX, 315 Daisy, H. & C. 316J

FORD OWNERS—ATTENTION

TRANSMISSION AND BRAKE BANDS
Mean Many \$\$\$ Saved
H. C. GRAHAM
Woodland Road

14—PERSONAL SERVICE

E. C. STEWART
Marble and
Granite Monuments.
Phone H. & C. 437 7 N. Fourth St.

R. W. THOMPSON
Funeral Director and
Embalmer.
Both Phones W. Locust nr. Turnpike

FRED B. LEAVY
Funeral Director
and Embalmer.
H. & C. 63; Bell 85.
12-115 Third St. Clearfield, Pa.

DRY CLEANING
Sponging and Pressing
Re-lining, Repairs, etc.
T. T. NORRIS
The Clothes Cleaner
Both Phones 110 Cherry St.

We wish all our patrons and every one else the merriest kind of a Merry Christmas!
GUELICH'S BARBER SHOP
6 North Third Street
10/18/24con

Try A Mug
Of Our
Hot Chocolate
While You're
Shopping Tomorrow.

VIRGINIA
CHOCOLATE SHOP

It's All A Question Of Using Your Head

When you want to get to the railroad station in a hurry, you don't run a mile or so down the street to get there on time. You take a taxi or a street car.

When you want to know whether some friends can come for dinner in the evening, you don't walk to their homes to find out. You call them on the 'phone.

You can save your steps by using your head—every time!

And when you want to find a place to live, or a good used car for sale, or where to buy some things you need for the least money—you don't waste your time and energy looking all over the city.

You turn—first thing—to the Classified Ads, and save effort, worry and money!

Read them regularly!

(C) EMPLOYMENT

22—FEMALE HELP WANTED

Wanted: A housekeeper at once. Call G. L. Daugherty, H. & C. 101W3 or 339 or Bell phone 191. 12/27/24tch

Wanted: Girls at Overall Factory. 12/27/24tch

24—SITUATIONS WANTED

Wanted: Widow desires position as housekeeper or to take full charge of a boarding house. Good cook. Can furnish references. Inquire 12/26/24tch

(D) WANTED

31—WANTED, TO BUY

Write us for prices on Hides, Pelts, Fur, Wool, Rags, Paper and Metals. Lewis Kaufman, Cor. Franklin and Weber Ave., DuBois, Pa. 11/26/24tch

(E) RENTALS

42—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

Two Furnished Rooms on Market Street, with all conveniences. Call at Pollack's Store. 12/18/24tch

For Rent: Three furnished rooms on first floor. Also sleeping room. Call at 405 Cherry street. 12/6/24tch

For Rent: Furnished rooms for light house keeping. Inquire 120 Cemetery Road. 11/17/24tch

For Rent: Two furnished rooms with all conveniences. Call 413 Merrill street or H. & C. phone 229L. 12/18/24tch

For Rent: Two unfurnished rooms including lights, hot and cold water. Children not desirable. Call at 216 W. Third avenue or H. & C. phone 420L. 12/20/24tch

Rent: Modern apartment, four rooms with bath, enclosed porch, private entrance, new gas range and electric fixtures. Modest rental to right tenant. Call at 526 S. Second street or H. & C. phone 4J. 12/27/24tch

For Rent: Five room flat with all conveniences. Call at 217 Reed street. 12/27/24tch

For Rent: Desirable residence, within two squares of Court House. All conveniences. Possession Feb. 1. Inquire of Progress. 12/27/24tch

43—HOUSES FOR RENT

For Sale or Rent: 6-Room house, one acre ground. Located at Mineral Spring, Pa. Furnace, electric lights and water in the house. Call or write Harry Morgan, Mineral Spring, Pa. 12/26/24tch

(F) FOR SALE

54—COAL, KINDLING

COAL FOR SALE
Delivered in large or small quantities. Call H. & C. 98J.
T. P. DUCKETT

55—MISCELLANEOUS

Just a few more left of Halls Famous Teapots. They make very nice presents.
ROUTH & SWARTZLE CO.

For Sale: Automobile Robes and Horse Blankets. Prices moderate. A. Harwick, Market street. 10/30/24tch

For Sale: Home made jellies, preserves, canned tomatoes and ketchup. 25 cents a glass or jar. Apply to John P. McCurdy, 115 Cherry street, Clearfield, Pa. 12/27/24tch

Motto of Sons of Rest

Let us hope for the best and, if we can rise early enough in the morning, do a little work for it.



If you just looked out for Number One this Christmas remember it is the smallest number.

The best Christmas gift is the gift of knowing what others want.

About the only prices that have been lowered recently are those of 1924 calendars.

Dallas (Tex.) man threw a hatchet at her. So she got a divorce. Women are so scary.

Bad news from the Eskimos. They are eating dogs. Next time your dog barks threaten to eat him.

Los Angeles bank messenger says he spent \$30,000. Maybe he mistook himself for a movie star.

Auto owners will be tickled to learn a St. Louis garage man was fined for using a stored car.

Chicago man sues his wife for lost love. If he values it at \$100,000 he should have taken better care of it.

While Christmas costs a married man more than a bachelor it is worth more to a married man.

Everybody loves a fat man dressed up as Santa Claus.

The worst thing about winter is it doesn't come in summer.

News from Paris. Artists have selected what they call the most perfect girl, figuratively speaking. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

(I) REAL ESTATE

81—HOUSES FOR SALE

For Sale: Store and dwelling. Store consists of Fruits, Confections, Tobacco, Soda Fountain and Billiard Room. Reason for selling, going west. A. S. Muirhead, Winburne, Pa. 12/22/24tch

(K) LEGAL NOTICES

102—MISC. LEGAL

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
In the Estate of Thomas Stoker, late of the borough of Ramey, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary in the above named estate have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons owing said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against it to make known the same without delay.

Clearfield Trust Company, Executor.
Geo. R. Bigler, Attorney.
11/22/29 12/6/13/20/27tch

Word of Old Origin

The word "lute" in "lute-warm," simply means warm, being derived from an old word "lute" meaning warm. The word was kept, but a translation was added; later on, however, people forgot that the word "lute" was a translation of "lute," and thought that the "lute" part must refer to some special kind of warmth. In this way the "rapid" meaning evolved.

Curwensville's Own Column

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley McDowell and son Byron, of Juniata were Curwensville visitors a few days this week.

George (Piney) Fleming has been confined to his home the greater part of this week by an attack of grip and flu.

The K. K. K. burned a beautiful Christmas cross on the South Side of Anderson creek last evening. On Christmas this organization distributed a number of dinner baskets to poor families. The Salvation Army people also presented a number of baskets to the needy.

Miss Sidney Kephart and a sister, of Clearfield, called on Curwensville friends Christmas eve.

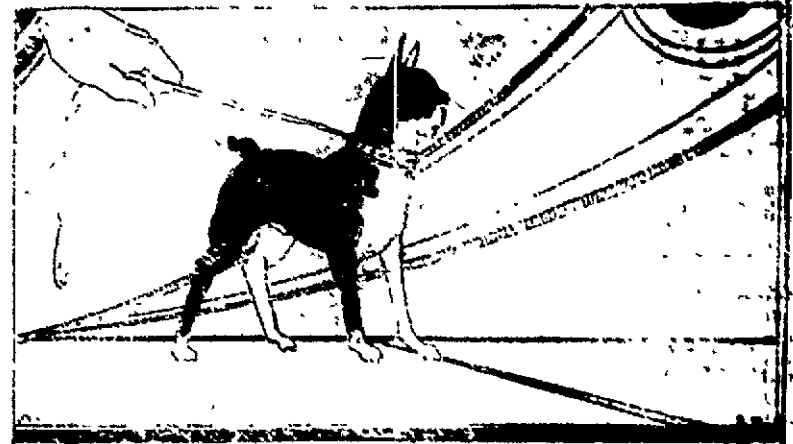
The garage building owned by the Stronach brickyard people burned to the ground Wednesday night, the

Spring Coat



ONE might suspect this young lady of appearing in her bathrobe, but she is not. She is wearing one of the new spring coats of novelty material in black and white, bound with black. It is supposed to be worn in the casual, non-chalant way she affects, and is particularly recommended for country and sport wear.

It Happens Every Day



When you've decided to sell Tommy, your Boston terrier, because you haven't time to look after him and you're anxious to find someone who will offer a good home and a good price for him, because he's a very well-bred dog—

And you know a lot of people who admire him, but no one who wants to own him, and you ask all your friends if they can think of anyone who is looking for a pet—but no luck—

And then you decide that you'll try to stir up some luck by putting an ad about Tommy in the Progress Live Stock column—and the next day a man who lives several blocks down your street comes around to talk business—

And tells you that he's always liked the looks of your dog, but that he didn't have any idea you wanted to sell him till he saw your ad in the Progress and that he'll buy him—Say!

Isn't It A Small, Small World, After All?

cause of the fire being unknown. The structure was used for storing cars of the employees.

Messrs. Harry and Joseph Hipps, Pittsburgh, came home and spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Nathaniel Hipps, South Side.

The officers elected at K. of P. hall Thursday evening are as follows: Chancellor commander, Howard M. Bloom, vice chancellor, Gunard Olson; prelate, Harry E. Shirk; master of work, Willard Bloom; master at arms, Geo. Bressler; inside guardian, Alton Hummel; outside guardian, Benjamin F. Moore; trustee, Harry Shirk.

James Holton drove to New Bethlehem yesterday and will remain in that town of ancient history for the next few days.

It has been requested of the Progress to publish the following program which was carried out by the small scholars of the Methodist Sunday school on last Thursday evening. Those who participated really did themselves proud, considering the short length of time in which to prepare:

Hymn No. 114	Congregation
Prayer	Rev. Adams
Welcome	Dorothy Fairwell
Recitation	Irene Bessler
Recitation	Lucile Marr
Recitation	Bobby Robinson
Song	Beginners
Recitation	Nell Crocker
Recitation	Dick Lantz
Recitation	Frederick McClure
Recitation	Mary Bowen
Song	Mary M. Adams' girls
Recitation	Billy Crowmover
Recitation	Elsie Williams
Recitation	Evelyn Smith
Exercise	Mrs. Humphreys' Girls
Recitation	Billy Thurston
Recitation	Nora Lantz
Song	Betty Mahaffey
Exercise	June Smith's Girls
Recitation	Dick Norris
Recitation	Sara Long
Exercise	Mrs. Humphreys' Girls
Recitation	Helen Humphreys
Recitation	Ruth Thurston
Recitation	Clifford Hockman
Exercise	Class of Girls
Recitation	Sara King
Recitation	Edna Passmore
Recitation	Kather Gorman
Song	Irene Benson
Recitation	Dorothy McClure
Recitation	Larue Gauer
Song	Class of Girls
Recitation	Edith May Freeman
Collection	
Benediction	

DRIGGS THEATRE TONIGHT

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A Powerful Picturization of
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With a PREFERRED CAST

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JOSEF SWICKARD
VOLA VALE
TRULY SHATTUCK

—Comedy—

"WEDDING BELLS"

LIBERTY THEATRE TONIGHT

Bullets Whiz! Hearts Throb! Lovers Win!

SEE—

JACK HOXIE

Supported by the Famous Universal
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IN

"FIGHTING FURY"

Presented by
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Pictorially, dramatically the best Western
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Directed by Clifford Smith

Classified Ads are worth reading.

NEW YEAR'S EVE, December 31st

9:30 to 1:30 A. M.



A real way to celebrate New Year's Eve. Reserve your table early. None admitted only those with tables. A good Turkey Dinner prepared by Chefs Miller and Kraght. A la carte service.

Dance to Keystone Orchestra, featuring Al. Rockwell and Harold Swartz.

Other entertainers: Miss Rupert, little Miss Ritter, Mrs. Alice Smith Bay and Miss Fryer.

Something doing every minute. Commence to get ready now.

Cover Charge \$1.50

JORDAN'S
MERRY XMAS
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

BIGLER

Ray Fulton, of Pittsburgh, spent Christmas with his sister Mrs. Ross Eshelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stevens and son spent Sunday with relatives in Altoona.

Miss Elizabeth Walker is home from Lynden Hall, Lancaster, to spend her Christmas vacation.

Mrs. E. F. O'Neil, of Osceola Mills, visited relatives here on Monday.

Miss Catherine Pierce of Woodland spent Monday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Braune, of Pittsburgh are visiting at the home of the late's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baughman.

Edna J. J. is home from State College to spend the holidays.

George Michaels of Greensburg, spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. Kate Michaels.

Superficial Thinkers.

A group of children were talking about the subject of dreams. One of them said: "I remember reading of a man so vivid that it was for the dreamer. A man dreamed that he was living in the days of the French Revolution, and was one of the victims led to the guillotine. When his turn came and the big knife descended, the shock to his nervous system was so great that it killed him; he never woke up." This brought out various exclamations, such as "Most remarkable," etc., but not one of the listeners discovered the flaw in his story. He waited a few minutes, and then said: "Well, boys, you're a smart lot. I must say, to swallow that yarn. How in the world could anyone know what that man had been dreaming about if he never woke up?"

Cold Creams

For Those
Chapped Hands

If your boy or girl was out yesterday trying that new sled and got his or her hands chapped, if you were out in the cold yourself and your face is feeling the effects of it today, we have a cold cream or a chap lotion that will give you relief.

CLARK'S

Cold & Flu Capsules

Here's the better cold reliever for that cold you picked up over the holiday. Contains no quinine but breaks the cold.

STEWART'S
DRUG STORE
CLEARFIELD, PA.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Letters received from Mrs. E. E. Jameson and Miss Lois Denning state that they have all been sick with the flu. Mrs. Denning and Mrs. Jameson are both better. Miss Lois is still confined to her bed and Mr. Jameson is critically ill as stated in the Progress of yesterday.

Lyle How came over from Bellefonte to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Fletcher spent their Christmas at Mill Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gearhart drove over to Philipsburg on Wednesday to visit the parents of Mrs. Gearhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baughman.

Myra Johnson of Pittsburgh spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson and sister Mrs. T. J. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bird, of Pittsburgh, are spending the yuletide season with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bird.

Fenwick McLeod is in Pittsburgh visiting his niece, Mrs. John Mahaffey.

Harold Boulton is at home from Yale to spend the holidays.

J. S. McDowell of Pittsburgh is spending Christmas and the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Peck of Syracuse are spending the Christmas season with Dr. and Mrs. Eber Peck.

Mary Ellen and Edith Cathcart are enjoying their vacation at their home in Olanta.

Wayne Johnson left Thursday evening for Philadelphia.

Pauline Neff is at home from Massachusetts to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woods Neff.

Edwin Howard is at home from State for Christmas.

Clarence Berner of Harrisburg arrived on Wednesday night to spend Christmas with his family who had come earlier in the week.

Robert Seagr left Friday morning for Newton Falls, where he has accepted a good position in the Newton steel mills. His brother, Frank, is employed by the same company.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stock of Renova and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stock of Meadville spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stock.

Karl Hoffman is at home from Juniata College for the Christmas recess.

Bishop Ward showed his devotion to his people on Christmas day by holding three services in three different towns that are without a rector. At Ridgway he held a midnight service, coming to DuBois he held an early service, and then arrived in Clearfield in time for a 10:30 service. He left on the 11:45 train for Erie. Such a bishop should be given the full support and earnest co-operation of every member in the diocese.

Why Uplift Isn't There

The trouble with many uplifters is that you cannot pin them down to the real home job which society has assigned them. You cannot lift anything unless you are in some way braced to the ground.—Rural New Yorker.

Prices in Bible Days

Abraham paid 400 shekels of silver (\$200) for a piece of land for a burying place. In Solomon's time (1 Kings 10:20) it is mentioned that the price of a chariot in Egypt was 600 shekels of silver (\$300). The price of a horse was 150 shekels (about \$75).

Time to "Take Stock"

Many a man who boasts that he is self-made wonders why his fellows do not share his admiration of his creation. Such a man should go further and give serious thought to his achievement. Introspection might reduce his conceit.—Grit.

Ministred to Vanity

Belldonna is Italian for "fair lady," and the drug was given this name because Italian women employed the juice for staining their skin and to beautify the eyes by giving them a glistening appearance.

Smoking in Church

Smoking is common in South American churches. A visitor to Peru reports that at a church in Lima he noticed one of the congregation enjoying a cigar during service and the bishop indulging in the same luxury.

PROGRAMS

At The Theatres
Next Week

DRIGGS THEATRE

—Monday and Tuesday—

THOMAS MEIGHAN

—in—
"Pied Piper Malone"

—Comedy—
"Three Foolish Weeks"

Wednesday Only

Claire Windsor, Robert Wells,
Adolphe Menjou,
Mary Carr and Tully Marshall

—in—
"For Sale"

—Comedy—
Lige Conley in
"Wedding Showers"

THURSDAY

**VAN ARNAM'S
MINSTRELS**

—Friday and Saturday—

Harrison Ford, Ethel Shannon,
Clara Bow, William Norris
And Hollywood's
12 Most Beautiful Girls

—in—
"Maytime"

—Comedy—
"The Go-Getters"

PARADE AND CONCERT

One of the features of John R. Van Arnam's Minstrels is the Band. Mr. Van Arnam takes special pride in his Band and each musician is an expert on his own instrument. The Band and escort will parade the business section of Clearfield at noon on New Year's Day and the Band will give a Concert in front of The Driggs Theatre before each performance. Van Arnam's Minstrels appear at this Theatre one day only Jan. 1st. Driggs Theatre, matinee and night.

Coral Formation

Coral islands, formed from petrified skeletons of coral polyps, are found in the warmer portions of the Pacific and Indian oceans, where a growth of coral goes on with rapidity. These islands also occur to a lesser extent in the Gulf of Mexico and along the Atlantic shore of the West Indies.

Something Nice

For That Money Gift

If you were one of those folks who received some money for your Christmas gifts, remember that we have some really beautiful things here that will mean a good investment for your money and a lasting gift as well.

Many of the items we have here for Christmas will be sold for less money than before.

W. W. O'BRIEN

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Of Candy,
If You're Fed Up
On Everything Else
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Daisy St. East End.

We Have Some
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DRUG STORE**

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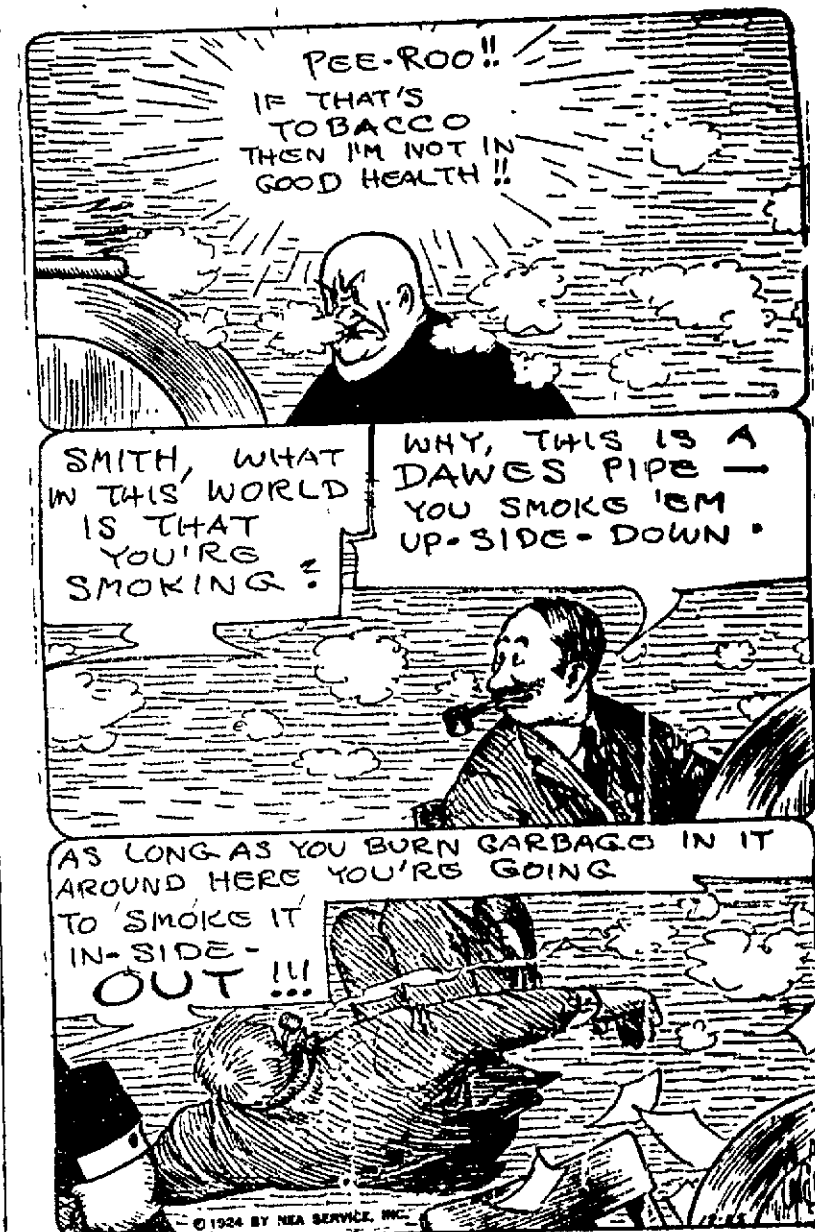
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